Web-Enabled Timeline Analysis System (WebTAS)

Life Cycle Maintenance

Problem

- WebTAS has no overall sustainment program
 - No funding for Software Life Cycle Maintenance
 - There is no funding to fix, test, distribute and document software problems or minor system enhancements

Solution:

- Provide funding for Software Life Cycle Maintenance
 - Short term Yearly software license fee
 - Long term Goal Have a sustainment line in the Program Objective Memorandum (POM)

What You'll Get for the Fee

- Fix software problems in fielded software
 - WebTAS currently has several hundred Problem Reports (PR) on record. The more it gets used the more will get logged
- Develop Enhancements
 - Implement a limited number of User's Change Request (CR)
- Help Desk Support
- Configuration management
- Training (User and Administrator)
- Installation support
- Software and System Testing
- Software and Document Release Management
- Support yearly users conference

WebTAS Software License Fee

- Estimated Fee per site required to provide the Users with a minimum software sustainment support is \$25K/Site
 - Currently have approximately 40 Sites, which will give us \$1M/year for sustainment
- Our long term goal is to eliminate or reduce the license fee
 - Make AFC2ISRC DExA
 - Get sustainment line in POM

Estimate

Development Team			\$25,000/Site
	Management	Senior Manager	75,000
	Developer	SR Software Engineer	150,000
		SR Software Engineer	150,000
		Jr Software Engineer#1	150,000
		Jr Software Engineer#2	0
		Jr Software Engineer#3	0
		Install/Trainer#1	95,000
		Install/Trainer#2	0
	O&M Costs		
		User Conference budget	25,000
		Documentation	50,000
		Software License Fees	30,000
		Test/Exercise Support	115,000
			840,000
Program Office			
	Personnel Costs	Engineer	0
		Operations Manager	0
		Admin	0
	Overhead Costs	Configuration Management Fee	55,000
		Help Desk Fee	50,000
		Equipment	0
		Travel	25,000
		Software License Fees	30,000
		Misc.	0
			160,000
Projected Yearly Total			1,000,000

User's Issues and Concerns

- Although it is late in the fiscal year, some organizations will be able to contribute their license fee in FY05
 - These User will be members of the CCB and will determine the evolution of WebTAS and will have priority for site support.
 - PRs/CRs
 - Training
 - Installation support
 - Voting member of the CCB
- Other organizations may have difficulty in providing the FY05 funds.
 - We will still provide a copy of the latest software version
 - However, site support (CRs, PRs, installation, training, etc) will be limited and assessed on a case-by-case basis by the DExA and PMO.
 - Sites will not be a voting member of the CCB
- Organizations that pay for site unique enhancements
 - Your requirements will be developed and integrated into the WebTAS software baseline as agreed upon by you, PMO and the DExA

Conclusion

- Web TAS will be entering a transition period
 - As we migrate the program from its current status (e.g. ad-hoc developments, site-unique solutions, etc) to a better situation where we have a common, supported and maintained product. A standard product that the entire user community determines what new capabilities will be added.

Backup Slides

Funding Options

Funding Levels

Development Team			\$25,000/Site	\$50000/Site
	Management	Senior Manager	75,000	200,000
	Developer	SR Software Engineer	150,000	210,000
		SR Software Engineer	150,000	75,000
		Jr Software Engineer#1	150,000	150,000
		Jr Software Engineer#2	0	150,000
		Jr Software Engineer#3	0	115,000
		Install/Trainer#1	95,000	200,000
		Install/Trainer#2	0	0
	O&M Costs			
		User Conference budget	25,000	25,000
		Documentation	50,000	50,000
		Software License Fees	30,000	30,000
		Test/Exercise Support	115,000	150,000
			840,000	1,355,000
Program Office				
	Personnel Costs	Engineer	0	150,000
		Operations Manager	0	150,000
		Admin	0	75,000
	Overhead Costs	Configuration Management Fee	55,000	55,000
		Help Desk Fee	50,000	50,000
		Equipment	0	20,000
		Travel	25,000	75,000
		Software License Fees	30,000	30,000
		Misc.	0	40,000
			160,000	645,000
Projected Yearly Total			1,000,000	2,000,000

O&M Support

24x7 Help Desk

- 3 levels to provide appropriate expertise to address problem / question
- Provides access to actual developers when necessary
- On-site support for mission critical problems If there is major problem that can
 not be resolved by telephone or remotely, an engineer will be sent to the site

Product Upgrades

- Software certification IAW DoDIIS processes
- On-site upgrade installation/testing/training for new software versions
- Patch release and distribution available via CD and Web download
- Support for updates to bundled in COTS products (e.g. virus definition updates)
- Help desk support for application of service packs/patches
- Technology transition of successful S&T initiatives

Mature configuration management process

- Voting member on CCB
 - Determines PRs/CRs addressed in next release
- Web site for submission/monitoring of product problem reports (PRs) and change requests (CRs)

Yearly User Conferences

Proposed Solutions

- Air Force Command and Control & Intelligence,
 Surveillance, and Reconnaissance Center (AFC2ISRC)
 wants to be the Executive Agent (EA) for WebTAS
- Peruse making WebTAS a DoDIIS Intelligence Mission Application (IMA)
- Provide funding for Software Life Cycle Maintenance
 - Short term Yearly User software license fee
 - Mid term Program Objective Memorandum (POM) funded (once WebTAS becomes an IMA)

Example of a CCB Process

